HANGING OF MRS. SURRATT A BLOT

Strong Plea to Save Life of Mrs. Lomax.

KNOWS HOW SHE FEELS

Explains His Sentence to Death in Kentucky.

Save He Faced Hanging Every Day and Every Minute for Months, While the Governor Declared the Law Must Take Its Course-Enthusinotic Mass Meeting in Colored M. E. Church-Several Other Speakers.

"I am an American; I am proud I am an American, and I am proud of the accomplishments of my country, but I would be still more proud if she had not committed judicial murder in hanging Mrs. Surratt on the charge of complicity in the assassination of Abraham Lincoln."

This statement was made by Representative Caleb Powers, of Kentucky, at a mass meeting of colored citizens at Miles Memorial M. E. Church, Third and L streets northwest, to protest against the hanging of Mattie E. Lomax, Rev. Dr. S. P. W. Drew, pastor of Cosmopolitan Temple Baptist Church and chairman of the committee, presiding.

MRS. SURBATT INNOCENT.

"Mrs. Surratt was hanged," said the peaker, "and the world now knows she as innocent and had nothing to do with and was not in any manner implicated in the conspiracy to kill Lincoln."
Mr. Powers gave a number of instances
in which people are convicted on circumstantial evidence and hanged. He said circumstantial evidence is a danger

lose hang, anybody.
If think I know Mattle Lomax ought not to be hanged. I have seen the record in her case, and her lawyers say she was convicted on circumstantial evidence. No one was present when she killed her husband but she and be, and she says she did it in self-defense, and there is no one to disprove this assertion.

"I have introduced a bill in Congress to do away with the hanging of women in the Nation's Capital, and I shall try to rush it through Congress. We are





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Startling Statement Made Before the W. C. T. U. at Session Yesterday May Cause an Investigation.

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Sunday violation of the excise laws in some localities of Washington by certain druggists, who sell liquor with or without a physician's prescription upon a scale that passes belief, was the charge of the W. C. T. U. by Mrs. Mary E. Carroll, and the kentuckian, in reply, said he had never in his life let an opportunity pass to defend and uphold the colored race of this country.

"I have run eight races and won every one with the help of the colored race. I know what this suspense to Mattle Lomax means, for I have been in a similar state when they were trained to the charges openly made, only some druggists are alleged to violate the law. But, the committy judicial murder on me in Kentucky. I feel for her, for the facing of death is part of ber daily life, as it was mine. One hundred and seventy-six jurors were drawn to try rae in a county, which went Repblican by over 400.

ABE MARTIN SAYS:



times as good t' you as it does t' anybody else.

A newspaper picture allus makes

Washington College Holds four the course by which it about due that the course by which it about due that the course by which it is considered for the course by t

May Sell Gunboat.

The Navy Department yesterday authorized the sale of the gunboat Mindoro, now doing patrol duty in the Philippines, the war one of the vessis captured from pair in 1888. She was built in 1888 in

NEWSOFALEXANDRIA

Chief of Police Files Report for Last Month.

PENSION FUND IS CONSIDERED

ase of Policeman Arrington, Who Was Injured Last December, Discussed at Meeting-R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, to Get Vir-ginia Battle Flug-Other Notes.

Alexandria, Va., June 21.-The police department during the past month suceeded in having 655 nuisances abated, according to the report of Chief of Police Goods. In the same period 200 arrests were made. The chief reported Policeman Kell for

repeated infraction of the rules, and same was left to Mayor Paff for disposition. The case of Policeman Gayton Arrington, who since December has been incapacitated, as the result of a fall, was disussed. The opinion was that the city ouncil should adopt some definite policy socking to the establishment of a permanent pension fund for disabled police-men. It was the opinion of those pres-ent that the plan of an annual appropria-tion of \$800 for such a fund would be

feasible.

Mayor Paff told the commissioners he would urge upon the general laws and finance committee of the council a report on the proposition. Those present were Mayor Part, Secretary Thomas A. Fisher, and Commissioner Robert S. Barrett.

Resolutions prepared by Charles Bendheim, chairman of the Fourteenth State senstorial committee, embracing this city. Alexandria, Fairfax and Prince William counties, provide that a primary be held September 7 to nominate a candidate for September 7 to nominate a candidate for the State senate, and that all candidates must notify the chairman of the com-mittee by July 15 next. These resolutions wijk be ratified by the committee. R. Ewell Thornton, incumbent, of Frince William, is a candidate. A. J. Wedder-burn, Fairfax, and Lewis H. Machen, former State senator, of this city, have been mentioned as candidates.

R. E. Lee Camp, Confederate Veterans, is to become the possessor of the Seventeenth Virginia Regiment Confederate battle flag. The senate of New York last night passed a bill to that effect, which was offered by Assemblyeffect, which was offered by Assembly-man Cuvilier, a former resident of this city. The flag was obtained by the New York troops during a conflict at Sharpsburg, Md., September 17, 1862. As soon as Gov. Dix signs the bill the flag will be sent here and placed in the Confederate Hall.

Rev. John L. Jackson, of Harrisonurg, Va., to-night preached the opening sermon for the commencement ex-ercises of Episcopal High School. The students will give their annual dance to-morrow night, and Friday night at Liggett Hail the annual joint debate between the Fairfax and Blackford literary societies will be held. At 11 o'clock Saturday morning the final dis-missal will take place.

All of the exceptions, as a whole, to New Orien the report of John M. Johnson, special commissioner, in the case of T. J. Fan Cental, No non and others against the defunct Virginia of the case of th ginia Safe Deposit and Trust Corpora-tion will be passed on to-morrow in the Corporation Court by Judge Barley.

George Penn, seventy-three years old. ded this afternoon at his home, 210 South Payne street. He was a native of Eng-land, and is survived by Miss Margaret C. Penn, Arthur G. Penn, Panama: Julian M. and Frederick Penn, this city. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock Fri-day morning.

According to the will of Mrs. Melissa. . Wood, probated to-day, her estate goes to her two daughters and grandchildren. Her daughter, Mrs. Ida M. Hill, qualified

The Reliance Fire Engine Company has appointed A. D. Grimes, Kenneth W. Ogden, and R. C. Sullivan to make plans for attending the State convention in August in Newport News.

A meeting of the Memorial Association, By some kind provision, your the object of which is the erection of a temple to Washington, the Mason, will last year's blue serge looks ten be held in the fall either here, Washiington, or Baltimore. The sum of \$150 has been given for the project by Roanoke Lodge of Masons.

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U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather But Washington, Wednesday, June 21, 1911-6 U. 6. Dept. of Agriculture, reserves seems.
Weakington, Wedneslay, June 21, 1931—4 p. m.
Loost slawers will certinue Thumshay in the Seeth
Atlanti: and Gulf States, and probably on Friday
are the greater portion of these districts. Unsettied and showery weather will also continues Tunnday and Friday in the Rocky Mountain region and
the Middle and Northern Platent, and there will
be showers Thumsday inghet or Friday into the
Northern and Western Depter Lake region. Else
where fair weather will prevail Thumsday and Fri
day, and temperatures will continue high over the
central districts of the country. It will be sense
what warmer over the Eastern portion of the
country.

Local Temperature.

Temperatures in Other Cities.

Tide Table.

WHITE. WHITE.

Bara Braumsbent, 73 years, Wash, Asylum Hosp.

Annie L. Baymond, & years, \$11 8th st. se,

Frederick N. Bassatt, 50 years, 1906 F st. ne,

Christian Hofman, B years, Wash, Asylum Hosp.

Catherine Kelly, 85 years, 1908 Cet. Hospital Insane.

COLORED.

James E. Young, 2 years, 125 18th st. ne,

Fred J. Hennier, 2 years, 1929 18th st. ne,

Friedla Murett, 31 years, 195 18th st. ne,

R. Deedle Bryant, 25 years, 192 M st. se,

BIRTHS REPORTED.

WHITE.

Allen E. and Iva N. Grogory, boy.
John G. and Lula M. Drayer, girl.
Preview F. and Lucus E. Lynch, girl.
Prederick C. and Ids L. Philpstt. girl.
Henry and Ruth T. Schaffert, boy.
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BROWN-On Tuesday, June 29, 1911, at 2:20 a. m., at his residence, 1827 Euclid street, PERCIVAL M. BROWN, son of Elizabeth S. Brown and the late George Hay Brown.
Funeral services at his late residence Thursday, June 22, at 2:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends are-respectfully invited to attend, Interment private.

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MILITARY ORDER OF THE LOTAL LEGION OF THE UNITED STATES.

Commandery of the District of Columbia. City of Washington, June 22. 1811.
The death of Succession Companism PRECIVAL MORDAUNT RROWN, in this City on the 26th instant, is amounced to the Commandery. Funcerl services, at which the attendance of Companism is requested, will be held at his late residence, 137 Rocids Street, N.W., at 3:20 o'clock P.M. this day, interment at Congressional Constery.
By command of Breet Major-General CTRUS HUSSET, U. S. Volunteers, Commander.
THOMAS H. MCKEE.

Recorder.

CROWN—On Monday, June 19, 1911, at

Recorder.

Recorder.

Recky Point, Fia., FLORENCE M.
CROWN (nee Portiner), beloved wife
of W. Dusey Crown. (Philadelphia,
Pa., papers please copy.)

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LAWTON-On Tuesday, June 20, 1911, in New York City, MARY LAWTON. daughter of Mrs. A. A. Cole, of 1720 Massachusetts avenue, and grand-daughter of the late Horatic King, formerly Postmaster General.
Funeral services at Congressional Cemetery Chapet, Thursday, June 22, at 3:30 p. m.
LEE-On Monday June 19, 1911, at 5:45 p. m., MARY H. LEE, widow of Joseph C. Lee, of 512 Seventh street northeast, in the fifty-eighth year of her age.
Funeral Friday, June 22, at 2 p. m., from J. William Lee's undertaking establishment.
MCGWYN-On Tuesday, June 29, 1911, at

establishment.

McGWYN-On Tuesday, June 28, 1911, at 11:55 p. m., at his residence, 222 Twenty-fifth street, PETER McGWYN, devoted husband of Nora McGwyn.

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Notice of funeral hereafter.

OSBORNE-Suddenly, on Wednesday June 21, 1911, at 1915 a.m. J. BENNETT, beloved husband of Sarah A. Osborne (nee Wood).

Funeral from his late residence, 125 V street southeast, Anacostia, Friday, June 25, at 9 a.m.; thence to St. Theresa's Church, where mass of requiem will be said for the repose of his sout. Friends and relatives invited to attend.

ROUTH-On Monday, June 19, 1811, at Atlantic City, N. J., JENNIE M. ROUTH, widow of John Routh, of Fittsburg, Pa., and daughter of the late Francis Bates, of Washington, D. C. Thursday, June 22, at 426 o'clock.

SCHULTEIS-Suddenly, on Tuesday, June 20, 1811, at 8:39 p. m., in Baltimore, Md. of hemorrhage and heart disease, ANNA 1, SCHULTEIS, beloved sister of Herman J. and Albert Schulteis.

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Funeral from HS Park avenue, Baltimore, on Friday, June 3, at \$20 a. m. Requiem high mass at the Cathedral at 9 o'clock. Interment private, at St. Mary's Cemetery, Washington, D. C.

TISDEL—On Wednesday, June 3, 1911. at \$20 a. m., at his residence, 2013 B street northwest, after an liness of several months, Col. WILLARD PARKER TISDEL, veteran of the civil war.

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